

Medicaid Programs for Medicare Beneficiaries New Income & Asset Guidelines Effective April 1, 2014

Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Program (QMB) 100% FPL

MEDICAID pays Medicare's deductibles, co-insurance and Part B monthly premium MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$993 per month maximum*	\$1,331 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,160 maximum**	\$10,750 maximum**

Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary Program (SLMB) 120% FPL

MEDICAID pays Medicare's Part B monthly premium
MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$1,187 per month maximum*	\$1,593 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,160 maximum**	\$10,750 maximum**

Qualified Individual - (QI) 135% FPL

Same as SLMB: MEDICAID pays Medicare's Part B monthly premium MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$1,333 per month maximum*	\$1,790 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,160 maximum**	\$10,750 maximum**

NOTES:

- * Figures are approximate and include the \$20 set-aside. Check with your parish Council on Aging or parish Medicaid Office.
- ** Usually excluded assets include: home, one automobile, burial plots, home furnishings, personal jewelry and life insurance.



LOCAL HELP FOR PEOPLE WITH MEDICARE

If you think you qualify for one of these programs, contact Medicaid at 1-888-342-6207 or your local Council on Aging office.

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